

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims

Claim 23 is amended.

Claims 1-22, 26-58 are cancelled without prejudice.

New claims 59-60 are added.

Claims 23-25 and 59-60 are pending and are listed following:

1. – 22. (Cancelled).

23. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

reading a record containing old times that one or more folders in a computer's filing system were last modified;

marking in the record that each of the one or more folders needs to have new times determined;

determining a new time that a first folder of the one or more folders in the computer's filing system was last modified;

comparing the new time for the first folder with the old time for the first folder;

marking in the record that the first folder needs to be scanned if the new time and the old time are not equivalent or does not need to be scanned if the new time and the old time are equivalent;

1 determining if the new time and the old time of the first folder are not
2 equivalent, a second folder's new time that a second folder of the one or more
3 folders in the computer's filing system was last modified;

4 scanning media-file contents of the first folder if the new time and the old
5 time of the first folder are not equivalent; and

6 modifying, if the media-file contents of the first folder have changed, a
7 media library based on the change[[]]

8 comparing the second folder's new time with the old time for the second
9 folder and then mark in the record that the second folder needs to be scanned if the
10 second folder's new time and the old time of the second folder are not equivalent
11 or does not need to be scanned if the second folder's new time and the old time of
12 the second folder are equivalent.

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15 24. (Original) The method of claim 23, further comprising:
16 marking in the record, prior to the determining the new time for the first
17 folder, that each of the one or more folders needs to have new times determined.

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19 25. (Original) The method of claim 23, further comprising:
20 marking in the record, prior to the determining the new time for the first
21 folder, that each of the one or more folders needs to have new times determined;
22 and

1 marking in the record, after the comparing, that the first folder needs to be
2 scanned if the new time and the old time are not equivalent or does not need to be
3 scanned if the new time and the old time are equivalent.

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5 26. – 58. (Cancelled).

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7 59. (New) A computer-readable medium comprising computer readable
8 instructions that perform the following when executed by a computer:

9 read a record containing old times that one or more folders in a computer's
10 filing system were last modified;

11 mark in the record that each of the one or more folders needs to have new
12 times determined;

13 determine a new time that a first folder of the one or more folders in the
14 computer's filing system was last modified;

15 compare the new time for the first folder with the old time for the first
16 folder;

17 mark in the record that the first folder needs to be scanned if the new time
18 and the old time are not equivalent or does not need to be scanned if the new time
19 and the old time are equivalent;

20 determine if the new time and the old time of the first folder are not
21 equivalent, a second folder's new time that a second folder of the one or more
22 folders in the computer's filing system was last modified;

23 scan media-file contents of the first folder if the new time and the old time
24 of the first folder are not equivalent;
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1 modify, if the media-file contents of the first folder have changed, a media
2 library based on the change; and,

3 compare the second folder's new time with the old time for the second
4 folder and then mark in the record that the second folder needs to be scanned if the
5 second folder's new time and the old time of the second folder are not equivalent
6 or does not need to be scanned if the second folder's new time and the old time of
7 the second folder are equivalent.

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9 60. (New) An apparatus, comprising:

10 means for reading a record containing old times that one or more folders in
11 a computer's filing system were last modified;

12 means for marking in the record that each of the one or more folders needs
13 to have new times determined;

14 means for determining a new time that a first folder of the one or more
15 folders in the computer's filing system was last modified;

16 means for comparing the new time for the first folder with the old time for
17 the first folder;

18 means for marking in the record that the first folder needs to be scanned if
19 the new time and the old time are not equivalent or does not need to be scanned if
20 the new time and the old time are equivalent;

21 means for determining if the new time and the old time of the first folder
22 are not equivalent, a second folder's new time that a second folder of the one or
23 more folders in the computer's filing system was last modified;

1 means for scanning media-file contents of the first folder if the new time
2 and the old time of the first folder are not equivalent;

3 means for modifying, if the media-file contents of the first folder have
4 changed, a media library based on the change; and,

5 means for comparing the second folder's new time with the old time for the
6 second folder and then mark in the record that the second folder needs to be
7 scanned if the second folder's new time and the old time of the second folder are
8 not equivalent or does not need to be scanned if the second folder's new time and
9 the old time of the second folder are equivalent.